

Program Guide

MAY - NOVEMBER 2019

# Resting in God's Peace



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BIBLE CONFERENCE

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# The Peace of God is Here

**I am so thankful to God for all He does at Montrose Bible Conference.** We just finished a great season of ministry this winter with teens, couples, kids, ladies and so many others. We are always thankful for the opportunity to point people to Jesus. Thanks for being a part of the MBC family through your prayers, gifts, attendance and encouragement. Whether you are an old friend or have just discovered Montrose Bible Conference, we invite you to come and join in the ministry here.

We have had many projects underway during the past months. We were able to acquire the

house next to Lily Hill Inn, and it is paid in full. We are turning it into a staff residence. We are also adding on to Dreyer Lodge for a new freezer. Our work on completing new dorm space at the J Dorms will provide us with more space this summer. God has been faithful to us in so many ways!

This program brochure is full of important information. We have a variety of programs, concerts, retreats and camps to encourage you and your family in your faith. Some programs take place yearly, but some are new.

**I hope you can come here to the mountaintop soon because we would love to see you!**

The information in this brochure will also help you to pray for us. You can pray for our guests and campers that will be here and that our programs will clearly proclaim God's truth so that lives will be changed. You can pray for the many projects that are underway and for God to continue to meet the needs of this ministry.

Thanks for being a part of the Montrose Bible Conference. I hope to see you soon!



Blessings,

Jim Fahringer  
Executive Director

# Summer Camps

**A**t the Montrose Bible Conference, we want to team up with you to help your kids deepen their relationship with Christ and with their peers. Life is busy and it's hard to make time to focus on those goals. That's where we come in.

This summer we'll hit the pool hard, dive into camp games, worship, make new friends and milkshakes, climb walls, and spend time going deep into God's Word – our instruction manual for life. It's a time to make friends and have fun. Most importantly, it's a time to know Jesus like they've never known Him before.



## **Teen Camp** | Sunday, June 30 – Friday, July 5, 2019

*For students who have completed 6th-12th grade*

Speaker: Zach Justice | Worship Leader: Dan Maurer

Camp Fee: \$300 — *Save \$20 if registered by June 1st*

## **Kids Camp** | Sunday-Friday, July 7-12, 2019

*For kids who have completed 1st-6th grade*

Speaker: Joe Plantz | Worship Leader: Dan Maurer

Camp Fee: \$285 — *Save \$20 if registered by June 1st*

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## **Day Camp**

**Monday-Friday, July 8-12, 2019**

Monday to Friday: Drop-off from 8-8:30am, pickup from 5:15-5:45pm

Join us for the day! Come for breakfast, lunch and almost all of the same activities as Resident Campers while still enjoying the comforts of home.

Camp Fee: \$170

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## **Mini Camp**

**Sunday-Wednesday, July 7-10, 2019**

**For kids who have completed 1st-6th grade**

This is a great introduction to Camp Montrose for first-time campers. Staying from Sunday through lunch on Wednesday, you'll get a good taste of the excitement of life at Camp Montrose.

Camp Fee: \$170

Registration is Sunday afternoon from 3:30 to 4:30pm and ends Friday night with dinner and a closing ceremony.

**JUNE & JULY**



**Tim Zimmerman & The King's Brass**

Thursday, June 6, 2019

The King's Brass features three trumpets, three trombones, a tuba, percussion and keyboards. These instruments blend together to create a time of innovative worship that will be enjoyed by all generations. The King's Brass, formed over two decades ago, is comprised of professional musicians from across the country who desire to use the instruments they love to lead others in praise and worship

Concert will be held at 7pm in Brown Gymnasium. There is no charge for this event, but an offering will be taken for the ministry of The King's Brass.



**Independence Day BBQ & Concert with the Jacobs Brothers | Thursday, July 4, 2019**

Come to town and enjoy the Montrose parade in the morning. In the afternoon, you can visit over 100 crafters and exhibitors on the town green. Then join us at the Conference at the Dreyer Lodge Tea Room from 5:30-6:30pm for BBQ chicken, hamburgers, hot dogs, salads and tasty desserts. At 7:30pm, join us in the Dreyer Lodge Chapel for a concert with the Jacobs Brothers.

No charge for the concert but an offering will be received.

Barbecue: Adult: \$10, Ages 5-12: \$5, Ages 2-4: \$2.50.

*Reservations requested.*

**Finally, brethren, rejoice, be made complete, be comforted, be like-minded, live in peace; and the God of love and peace will be with you.**

**2 CORINTHIANS 13:11**

*Peace-Filled,  
Fun Activities for  
the Whole Family*

**30<sup>th</sup> Annual Christian  
Writers' Conference**  
Sunday-Friday,  
July 14-19, 2019

New and experienced writers will be spiritually renewed as they sharpen their word-smithing skills and learn about Christian publishing at this annual conference. Continuing Classes, Workshops, Editorial Appointments and Professional Critiques will be available. This conference is directed by published author, Marsha Hubler. Visit us online, call, or email to get a copy of the Montrose Christian Writers Conference brochure.



## **GIVE OTHERS THE GIFT OF REST AND PEACE** Serving Opportunities at Montrose

It takes dozens of volunteers to provide the most restful and peaceful experience for our guests. When you choose to serve others through our ministry as a volunteer, you not only help us steward our much-needed financial resources, but you give a gift to people who need to find the love and peace of God.

Serve for a day, a few weeks, all summer or year-round.

### **VOLUNTEERS NEEDED**

- **Maintenance and remodeling of facilities**
- **Food service— kitchen help and serving**
- **Housekeeping and laundry**
- **Office assistance**
- **Grounds keeping**



Additional information at [ww.montrosebible.org](http://ww.montrosebible.org)  
or call us at 1-800-598-5030



# AUGUST



## The Puffers in Concert Sunday, August 11, 2019

Bob & Darlene Puffer are talented singers and musicians. Bob has written over 400 songs and plays a multitude of instruments, including acoustic guitar, five-string banjo, violin, mandolin, Chet Atkins guitar, dobro and ukulele. Darlene plays keyboard, clarinet and

Hawaiian guitar. You will hear a varied program, ranging from lively instrumentals to southern gospel, country, folk, traditional and comedy. Dinner Buffet served 5:30-6:30 pm in Dreyer Lodge Tea Room followed by a free concert at 7:30pm in the Dreyer Lodge Chapel. An offering will be received.

*Dinner: Adult: \$18, Ages 5-12: \$5, 2-4: \$2.50. Dinner reservations requested.*

## Bible Conference Week | Sunday-Friday, August 11-16, 2019

Join us for this refreshing and encouraging week! Bible studies are held twice daily in the Dreyer Lodge Chapel. Our speaker is Dr. Dana Goodnough, Senior Pastor of Pittsford Community Church in Pittsford, NY, and musicians for the week will be the Puffers. Special rate of \$375 single occupancy, \$335 double occupancy (couples \$670) which includes meals & lodging. Inquire about partial week prices. Commuters are welcome to the morning & evening sessions. No charge for the sessions, but contributions are appreciated to help us sponsor these programs. Meals are available for commuters to purchase.

## Young At Heart Wednesday, August 14, 2019

Seniors and their friends are invited to join with us for our Bible Conference Week to hear the Puffers and Dr. Dana Goodnough. Program at 11am followed by lunch. \$10 per person. Reservations requested.



## Charting the Course for Financial Freedom Wednesday, August 14, 2019

Join us for this free seminar. We are called to be good stewards of what God has entrusted to us. Navigating the uncertainty of the future can be confusing, especially if you don't know where to begin.

We need to be faithful in our prayers, mindful of our plans, and armed with the appropriate strategies to move toward our goals. In this presentation, we are going to talk about strategies for General Planning, Risk Management, Investment Strategies, Retirement, and Estate Planning. We hope to equip you with the information you need to make smart financial decisions and put you on a voyage to leaving a lasting legacy.

Presented by MBC ministry partner Dirk Olds of Ambassador Advisors. The seminar will be held in the Dreyer Lodge Chapel at 1:45 pm.





## Labor Day BBQ and Concert with Niah & Allisha Merrill | Monday, September 2, 2019

Join us as we conclude the summer season. The Merrill's share a variety of musical blends that bring praise to our Creator. Chicken Barbecue served from 1-2pm. Concert begins

at 2:30pm in the Lake Ridge Center. No tickets are needed for the concert but a free-will offering will be taken.

BBQ tickets cost: Adult: \$10, Ages 5-12: \$5, Ages 2-4: \$2.50. BBQ reservations requested.

## Jaunts through New England Bus Trip Monday-Thursday, September 16 – 19, 2019

Some of the attractions: The New England Carousel Museum, a sunset cruise with Project Oceanology, a tour of the cranberry bogs, USS Nautilus, a cider mill, a train museum and so much more.

Complete details and costs are on our website, or call for more information.

Peace I leave with you;  
My peace I give to you; not as  
the world gives do I give to you.

JOHN 14:27A

# The Rest of Our 2019 Projects

Our mission is to provide a place away from the routines of life to be with Christians so that people can grow closer to God and share His love with others. Our recent projects are part of that mission. If you would like to contribute to the completion of these projects, please mark your gift with **2019 Projects Fund**.

## 2019 Goals:

- Completion of new dorm in Lower J by summer.
- Completion of the new dorm in Upper J by 2020.
- Addition to Dreyer Lodge to hold the new Tea Room freezer.
- Continue upgrades to the new houses recently acquired.
- Adding new conference signs.
- Expanded parking on Locust Grove Campus.
- Conversion of propane equipment to natural gas.



Give thanks with us for the completion of:

- Storage Addition to Gym
- New Guest Room in Torrey Home

***For a complete list of our projects, visit our website.***



# OCTOBER



## Fall Dinner Concert with Damaris Carbaugh Friday, October 11, 2019

Damaris Carbaugh's depth of love and devotion for her Lord and Savior, Jesus Christ, is so evident through her special gift of song and powerful speaking ministry. This talented musician was a featured soloist with

the Brooklyn Tabernacle Choir and regularly appeared on the "Day of Discovery" television program. She is now in demand as a speaker and soloist. "Walk With Me" is the latest of her fifteen albums.

Doors open at 6pm, and dinner begins at 6:30pm in our Lake Ridge Center. Adults \$23; Ages 12 & under \$5. Reservations required. Optional Bed & Breakfast available; includes dinner concert, overnight lodging, and breakfast for \$58 per person.



## Ladies Retreat Friday-Sunday, October 18-20, 2019

Come be inspired by God's Word through our speaker, Kim Kirk, and be uplifted with worship music with Alison Everill. Get away for some delicious meals and relaxing time

with other ladies. Additional details on our website.

Torrey Home & Lily Hill Inn \$180 per person for double occupancy; Dreyer Lodge \$170 per person for double occupancy; Girls 17 and under: \$70.



## Ladies Morning Escape Saturday, October 19, 2019

Come join us at 8:30 am for breakfast and enjoy the fellowship of other ladies. After breakfast, join in the program for our Ladies Retreat and be challenged by our speaker, Kim Kirk. It's a perfect opportunity to be refreshed and equipped.

\$10 per person. Reservations requested.



## Charting the Course for Financial Freedom Tuesday, October 22, 2019

11:30 AM & 5:45 PM

*Seminars Presented with ministry partners WPEL and Ambassador Advisors.*



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begin. We need to be faithful in our prayers, mindful of our plans, and armed with the appropriate strategies to move toward our goals. In this presentation, we cover strategies for General Planning, Risk Management, Investment Strategies, Retirement, and Estate Planning. We hope to equip you with the information you need to make smart financial decisions and put you on a voyage to leaving a lasting legacy.

Seminar presenters are MBC ministry partners, Bernie Bostwick & Attorney Ron Snavelly of Ambassador Advisors. The morning seminar will be followed by lunch and the evening seminar will be followed by dinner. There is no charge for this event, but please call us 570-278-1001 to let us know you will be attending.



## Fall Quilt Retreat | Thursday-Saturday, November 14-16, 2019

Spend an extended weekend working on your next quilt project while enjoying the fellowship of others. Be encouraged and challenged by our speaker, Joan Werzinski.

Per person rate for double occupancy - Torrey Home & Lily Hill Inn \$190, Dreyer Lodge \$180, Homestead Inn \$150 (single occupancy add 25%). Ages 17 & under: \$70. Commuting Guests \$55 registration fee plus meals.

## Single Parent Family Retreat | Friday-Sunday, November 22-24, 2019

A stress-free weekend to fellowship with other single parent families in a beautiful and safe mountain setting with great meals, recreation, appropriate teaching for all ages and lots of laughter, plus practical Bible-based sessions for parents. Discounted Retreat Fee per person: Adults \$100; Teens 13-18, \$30; Children 7-12, \$20; Children 3-6, \$15. Scholarships available; contact us.

## RECIPE CORNER

Our guests enjoy our food and often request our recipes. Probably the most popular request is for our Tomato Bisque Soup. We are happy to share the recipe with you, but we have one request. **When you make this soup, will you please remember to pray for us?**

# MBC Tomato Bisque

### Ingredients:

1 quart chopped Tomatoes  
1/2 cup chopped Onion  
1/2 cup chopped Celery  
1/2 cup chopped Peppers  
1/4 cup chopped Parsley

*Add a little water to the above ingredients and cook until tender.*

### Add:

2 small cans of Tomato Soup  
salt, pepper and butter to taste  
1/2 tsp Sugar  
1 quart Half & Half  
1 quart Heavy Cream

*Heat until hot, stirring often. Do not boil.*



# Live More

**W**hatever living means to you, **DO MORE** of it with the peace of mind from sound financial planning. The planning that you do today affects your family—as well as those ministries close to your heart— tomorrow. Ambassador Advisors can help you make a plan to build your savings as well as create a legacy for your children, grandchildren, and beloved ministries like your church and Montrose. Our team helps faithful stewards **DREAM MORE, PLAN MORE, and DO MORE.**



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## UPCOMING EVENTS

# PLAN FOR MORE *Peace and Rest* IN YOUR FUTURE

### Christmas Craft Fair

December 6-7, 2019

### Around the World Nativities

December 6-7, 2019

### Ladies Christmas Tea

December 10, 2019

### Carols by Candlelight Dinner Concert

December 13, 2019

### Snow Camps

Teen: January 24-26, 2020 &

February 28-March 1, 2020

Kids: March 6-8, 2020

See our website for complete details [www.MontroseBible.org](http://www.MontroseBible.org).

### Couples Conferences

January 31 - February 2

or February 7-9, 2020

— ADVERTISEMENT —





Your registration for an event indicates your permission to use your photo for promotional purposes in any media including but not limited to online/web and print.

### Lodging Options

For information about our various lodging options, please visit our website at [www.MontroseBible.org](http://www.MontroseBible.org).

### Ministry Discount

For overnight events, a pastor's family comes for 50% off! 25% off for Families in full-time Christian service!

### Directions

For directions, please visit our website at [www.MontroseBible.org](http://www.MontroseBible.org).

# CONFERENCE RESERVATIONS

Online reservations also available.

NAME(S) \_\_\_\_\_

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PHONE ( \_\_\_\_\_ ) \_\_\_\_\_

E-MAIL \_\_\_\_\_

STREET ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_

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CITY \_\_\_\_\_ ST \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP \_\_\_\_\_

PROGRAM NAME

\_\_\_\_\_

DATE OF PROGRAM

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NAMES & AGES OF CHILDREN ATTENDING:

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### FOR CREDIT CARD PAYMENT

VISA    MASTERCARD    DISCOVER    AMER EXPRESS

ACCOUNT # \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_ - \_\_\_\_\_

EXPIRATION DATE \_\_\_\_\_ / \_\_\_\_\_ SECURITY CODE \_\_\_\_\_

### ACCOMMODATIONS DESIRED *(mark one):*

LILY HILL INN

CAMPGROUND — RV COURT RESERVATION

TORREY HOME

SIZE & TYPE OF VEHICLE:

\_\_\_\_\_

DREYER LODGE

HOOKUPS NEEDED:

HOMESTEAD INN

Water Electric Sewer None

**MAIL TO** | Montrose Bible Conference, 218 Locust St., Montrose, PA 18801-1473

Enclose \$45 per person deposit — balance due on arrival.

# Find Rest

## IN THE PEACEFUL ENDLESS MOUNTAINS

### PLAN YOUR NEXT RETREAT AT MONTROSE

Your group will enjoy your handcrafted schedule and activities surrounded by the beauty of creation! Located on 83 acres in the beautiful Endless Mountains of Northeastern PA with two campuses, we provide a place for adults, teens, children and families to experience God.

#### OUR CONFERENCE CENTER FEATURES:

- Private air-conditioned hotel/motel style rooms with private baths
- Youth Campus with spacious dorms
- Large gymnasium
- Lake with kayaks, paddleboats, and row boats
- Heated outdoor pool
- Year-round tubing
- Adventure activities including paintball and a climbing wall

If your church is in need of spiritual refreshment and encouragement, we would love to serve you on the mountaintop.

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